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## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (37 C.F.R. § 1.114)

	Sir:					
	37 C		plicar §1.11	nt(s) requests continued examination of the above-identified application under		
.•	$\boxtimes$	Submission under 37 CFR 1.114 (check at least one of the following):				
•			Prev	riously submitted:		
				Applicant(s) requests nonentry of any previously-filed unentered amendments.		
				Please enter and consider the Amendment After Final Under 37 C.F.R §1.116 previously filed on		
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	Request for suspension of action:					
	Applicant(s) hereby request suspension of action on the above-identified application under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; requires Processing Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i)).					
$\boxtimes$	Sma	Small Entity Status:				
	$\boxtimes$	Applicant hereby asserts entitlement to claim small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27.				
		A small entity statement or assertion of entitlement to claim small entity status was filed in prior application no/ and such status is still proper and desired.				
		Is no longer desired.				
$\boxtimes$	Appl	licant(s) calculate the following fees to be due in connection with this Request:				
	$\boxtimes$	A Request fee of \$395.00 under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e).				
		A suspension processing fee of \$ under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i).				
		An additional filing fee of \$ under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 ( additional independent claims and/or additional total claims).				
	$\boxtimes$	An extension fee of \$510.00 under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a) for a Three-month extension of time.				
$\boxtimes$	Fee	e payment to cover the above-enumerated fee(s):				
	$\boxtimes$	A check in the amount of \$395.00 and \$510.00 are enclosed.				
		Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE) in the amount of \$ A copy of this Request is enclosed for this purpose.				
		A payment by credit card in the amount of \$ (Form PTO-2038 is attached).				
		The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE). A copy of this Request is enclosed for this purpose.				
		Respectfully submitted,				
Septe	<u>em</u> be	r 27, 2005				
Date		John M. Card (Reg. No. 48,423)				